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Poetry.

A BEAUTIFUL POEM

BY VINNIE VERNON.

We do not know how far it lies, Beneath what bending sapphire skies, Through what unmeasured depths of space May be Thy mystic, heavenly place, But to our lips these words arise "We're on our way to Paradise!"

Oh, land beyond our fading sight! Oh, realm, which ne'er had known the night, Oh, rest of heart and peace of soul! Into our trembling lives doth roll The thought of all that grand surprise Awaiting us in Paradise.

The sorrow-strain is growing less, The spirit gathers hopefullness; The hands unloose from idols dear, The upturned eyes grow wide and clear, And now at last the heart grows wise-While yet it sighs for Paradise.

The glimpse of far-off hopeless years; With twilight gleams of stars through teas, Recalls a foregone life again, With shock of tempest doubt and pain, As from this spirit level's rise We think, "Not far from Paradise!"

Not far! ah no! A prophecy Floats on the air of what shall be! The incense, music, tint and gleam, Float o'er the walls, blend in their dream, Flood through the veins, brim up the eyes, Till souls cry out, "blest Paradise?"

And sometime, when we earnestly guess Shall rise the joy-fraught day to bless Our life, with fuller, richer peace, Than all our love's or toil's increase, Then with a sudden, sweet surprise, We'll ope our eyes on Paradise

Select Miscellany.

SHAWNEE TOM

BY CAPT. CHARLES HOWARD.

" Nat, did you ever have mercy on an In-

dian? This question was addressed to a noble specimen of the frontiersman one August evening on the banks of the Licking, long ago.

"Once," answered the pioneer rather proudly, though, perhaps, he thought of the life of vengeance he had lived for fifteen years. " I pitied a redskin once, and saved his life. I'll tell you how it was. One day nigh unto fourteen years ago, I was trampin' down Yaddin creek, and what do you think I ran across Just on the far side of a log I had stepped on, n young Injun was groanin' his life out. He was about fifteen years old, and a purty little chap; but when he saw me he gritted his teeth and said-

" Pale face shoot Indian; pale face get pay for it some day.'

I admired the boy's grit, and looked at his wound. Sure enough, some person had shot him in the side, and I thought him a bad subject. But I dressed his hurt as well as I could, and followed his trail back to where he said he had dropped his gun, which I brought to him. Then I made him a bed of leaves, shared my venison and left him alone. He said on parting: 'Indian never forget pale face.' I couldn't kill that boy, though I had sworn not to spare anybody with a redskin, for the scarlet devils killed Mary and John on the flat boat, you know, boys, and made Nat Garrett a devil." "What became of the Indian?" asked one of

the pioneer's auditors. "I don't know. I got around that way two days afterward; but couldn't see him. The bed of leaves was there, and a slight trail that led toward the creek was visible. I did not only Injun I ever took pity on. I guess his savages. years saved him, for he did look so innocentlike that I couldn't lift my hand against him. Mebbe I'll get eredit for that where they keep the accounts of our lives; but I don't know. They killed Mary and John fifteen years ago,

Heaven knows how many I have killed." Nathan Garrett was, beyond doubt, the greatest avenger that ever crossed the Ohio. Fifteen years prior to the date of our story, a flat boat crowded with Virginians, seeking homes among the infant settlements of Kentucky, fell into the hands of the Indians, and its passengers, without a single exception, were massacred. Men, women and children felt, alike, the

and since that time I have spared but one In-

jan-but one. Just think of it, boys; and

merciless tomalnawk. The family of Nathan-or Nat Garrett was among the ill-fated emigrants, and several miles below the bloody spot the husband and father waited for his own. He had not seen them for two years, and the reader can imagine with what anxiety and emotion he waited. At last the flat boat came in sight, drifting down the stream, stem foremost, and no person visi-

Then the dreadful state of affairs rushed over the pioneer, and flinging himself into the river, strongly guarded, and he passed the remainder he swam away and boarded the craft. Blood of the day brooding over plans for the future. in the cabin, blood on the deck, blood-the blood of innocent women and children-every-

was he the pleasant, singing Nat Garrett, of of women and children told him that they had jaws again.

Harrodsburg; on the contrary he was a moody assembled to witness his doom. He knew the geance. Hundreds of silvery hairs gathered tions could not be mistaken. on his head, and from the head waters of the Licking to those of the Scioto, he roamed the PUBLISHERS AND PROPRIETORS. insatiate demon of vengeance, and the protect- leaves of Autumn were dropping mournfully or of the settlements.

Perhaps the little warrior's eyes reminded the hand. To Garret, pity for a red man was a total stranger.

But let us return to the group on the banks of the Licking that autumn day, already refer-

"I must be going," Nat Garrett said sudden-

ly. "We've been talking too long." "Are you going alone, Nat?" asked one of the settlers.

"Yes. If I can't circumvent the Injuns, and bring Jennie back, then may the wolves outrun I'm going straight to her."

"I would like to go with you."

a pleading tone, was a youth of about one-andtwenty, and the pioneer suddenly turned upon

"You stay here!" he said, sternly. "You don't follow Nat Garrett one step-not one, I tell you. I will get the girl, and she'll be your I don't want anybody with ine. I won't have 'em along."

The youth, abashed, blushed scarlet, and the wenger outlooked him.

"Mebbe I'll meet Shawnee Tom," he said, my fingers on that red dog's throat. He is an Injun who don't know what mercy is; he never | tied at all. did a good deed in all his life, and I want to meet him. God knows how many boats he's decoyed ashore, and how many women and children he has treated to the tomahawk. Boys, Tom and Nat Garrett are going to meet before many days, I feel it in my moccasins, and I'd ing the operation that secured him to the tree, sooner meet with that devil than own all the he gasped spasmodically for breath. country this river waters."

The pioneer spoke with emphasis, and a few minutes later, entirely alone, he was rowing a brood over the Licking.

He was on an errand of mercy. A few days prior to his present voyage, a beautiful maiden named Jennie Martin had been captured by a band of prowling Indians, near a frontier station and earried away. The misercants, knowing that pursuit would surely follow, had effectually concealed their trail, and the hunters were obliged to return chagrined to the fort.

At this stage of affairs Garrett made his appearance, and at once decided that he would rescue the girl and bring her back to the fort before the day set apart for her marriage to a youthful pioneer of good family. The rescue of Jennie Martin then was the avenger's errand.

He yearned, too, to encounter the most implacable foe that the whites of Kentucky had ever known—an Indian nicknamed by the renegades who sometimes accompanied him on his errands of butchery, Shawnee Tom. He had or years successfully cluded the bullets of the settlers, to whom he had proved a destroying ianis fatuus. His movements were as quick and leadly as the lightning stroke; during six honrs of darkness he had been known to strike two posts, fifteen miles apart. He was described as a man thirty years of age, tall and remarkably handsome, in brief, a red Apollo Belvidere, and fiend incarnate.

This was the destroyer whom the pioneer longed to meet-the man he had trailed thro' trackless forests, and sought among the very lodges of his people, dwelling on the banks of the Scieto, in Ohio

From the Licking the avenger rowed into the broader Ohio, up whose majestic bosom he sent his light craft. Night soon overtook him. and when he sent his canoe to the bank it was and deciding certain plans that filled his mind.

It was certain that his voyage up the river was ended; for he sunk his boat, and an hour lastillness of the night, and bore him further and further from the river. He knew the exact location of the village where he expected to find the captive girl, for he had visited it before. It was situated near the head of the Sciota's largfollow it; but hurried on. Boys, that was the est tributary, and contained several hundred

The light of day gradually broke over the earth, and suddenly the avenger was startled by the sharp crack of a rifle

The ball struck his gun and dashed it from his hand, and a dark figure sprang upon him and hurled him to the ground.

A moment later several other Indians joined the victor, and submitting with the best grace he could command, Nathan Garrett became their

While the Indians rejoiced over their success they offered no rudeness to the daring white, wko was soon hurried forward to the villagehis original destination.

"Brave man!" said one of the captors patting Garret familiarly on the back. "Venango wants to see him in the village."

Despite his composure the pioneer started and his eye flashed, for he knew that Venango

was Shawnee Tom's Indian name. At last he was to meet the fiend face to face but in his stronghold, with his braves about him, and well armed.

About noon the pioneer entered the Indian village as a captive, and the strongest lodge

Another night wore wearily away, and the second day of his captivity drew to a close bewhere. He read in the mark of massacre the fore a savage addressed him with a word. Then fate of his family, and ere long he stood on the the curtains of the prison lodge were parted, and fatal spot. His worst fears were there confirm- the pioneer commanded to step forth. Obeying stripped his pursuers, and after a long run, ed. He found the scalpless remains of his lov- with alactity, he found himself surrounded ed ones, and on the hanks of the majestic river by at least a score of savages who appeared in mirable spot of concealment hot far from the jovial mood as they conducted him to the south- village. He was determined not to leave the The oath of vengeance that he took over ern confines of the Indian town. Just beyond country without Jennie Martin, and without a Gaston county distillery on Friday last. their graves must have frightened the listening the last wigwam Garrett encountered the fear, for such men as Nathan Garrett never birds of night, so terrible it was. No longer entire population of the village, and the hoots feared—he marched straight toward the lion's

The golden rays of the declining sun fell upon this strange scene, and all around the aureate from the trees. The brilliant orb of day would For fifteen years he had followed the trail of soon sink behind the western hills, and then, benefit." death, and during that time had spared but one perhaps, in the glare of the torture, the Ken-Indian's life, as the reader has heard him say, tucky avenger would die. I ween he never thought of this, for his wandering eye seemed father of his boy's blue orbs, and stayed his to be hunting for some particular person in the motley crowd or among the braves.

All at once a shout, uttered simultaneoasly by fifty pairs of lips, caused the settler to turn his eyes to the right, and the next moment they fell upon the man he longed to see-Shawnee

The handsome Indian, in the prime of unfettered manhood, approached with the tread of a king, and when his eyes encountered the prisoner he suddenly paused. But only for a moment, when he advanced again and addressed me and tear me up. I know where she is, and a sab-chief, who stood apart from the braves. After a minute's conversation between the two ... Tom bring white girl to lick," he said. Indians, the under chief moved off, but soon "bet the pale faced slayer listen. Many, many The speaker, whose words were couched in returned, bearing an arm load of glistening winters ago, when white man was stronger

The sight of the hideous craniums was the pioneer's derisive smile.

wife vet, if you'll jist stay here with the boys. shadows the sun was throwing. To him Shawnee Tom did not deign to address a single word, and Garrett was led from the crowd and stood against a small tree one hundred yards away. his throat and tied securely to the sapling beand his dark eyes flashed fire. "I want to get hind him. His hands were bound loosely to his side, while strange to say, his feet were not their strong wigwams, and say, if they dare,

> seemed, but was an impossibility. The least movement of his head caused his throat intense pain; and more than once dur-

"Mebbe Injuns miss coon heads," said one of the savages, tauntingly. "Sun goin' down, this-I swan I didn't. Yes, we'll go to Ken-

night pretty close. Venango say while 'go tucky, but when I come again I'll look out.", light canoe through the gathering shadows that dirt in his eye, an' he no shoot good. But he will shoot, an'," with a devilish smile, "he may shoot too near ground." Before the Indians drew back from the tree,

they placed a shining coon skull on the pioneer's a day during my captivity, and he talked to me head, and the young warrior having the other like a man, too." skulls in charge, took his station a few feet from the living target.

among the Shawnees of Ohio, and many a time ding, Shawnee Tom's body was found in the some vengeful or drunken Indian shot, as Gar- forest, near the fort. The chief was clad in all rett was informed, "too near the ground." The savage was a good marksman, and could

scrape the captive's head or perforate the noon His rifle tested against a tree, and in his right skull at his will. The scraping of the skull was hand was tightly clenced a bloody knife. called "bair shooting," and the brave who could successfully accomplish it was a man of note in his own hand, and for the love of a white wo-

The chances for escape were against the brave pioneer, for long shadows were falling between him and the Indians. He thought of his, perhaps, fatal tramp from the Kentucky settlements, of Jennie Martin, the captive, of whose fate he had learned nothing, and of the proba-Lle speedy termination of his life of vengeance. The crack of the first rifle and the shivering of the coon skull was a relief to the pioneer

and in audible tones he applauded the shot. The skull was replaced by another, and the second shot was a "skull scraper. It carried away a tuft of the settler's hair and moistened the scalp with blood. Again and again the coon heads were shivered, and Garrett had addressed himself in this strain several times:

"Why doesn't Tom shoot? I know he's gohim to do it, Why doesn't the red devil take his rifle and bore the head of the worst enemy for the purpose of devouring some venison, his race ever had? I wish he would-I swan I

Several times had bullets scraped the pio neer's scalp, and once or twice the red fiends ter was plunging through the funeral recesses of had drawn blood on his cheeks. It was a terthe forest. His step now and then brake the rible torture when life depended on the eye of felt there was a blending of hearts between eight men to the penitentiary.

> At length the end seemed reached, for Shaw- the same Father. nee Tom stepped to the marksman's ground, and with great deliberation raised his rifle.

"The devil! he wouldn't hit the head for the has been waiting for."

the bullet-scarred tree. He looked steadily at the Indian, calmly into | -Raleigh Sentinel.

the muzzle of his riffle. A bullet in the brain was an exception.

Could he hope for anything else from Shaw-

nee Tom? The crack of the chief's rifle startled every

Strange to say, the bullet had severed the sinews that held his neck against the tree and set him at liberty.

Thrown forward by his sudden release the pioneer managed to keep his feet, and a moment later the Indian with the coon skulls

Garret saw his danger, for the brave had raised his rifle, and mustering all his strength

Then he darted at his antagonist, and like ny or any of its agents. two mad buffaloes the twain came together. The settler being the most powerful of the combatants, the Indian yielded; his rifle was

like a deer through the forest.

Noted for fleetness and endurance, he outveered to the right, and trotted toward an ad-

Attended to the

man, who talked but little and then of ven- customs of the savages, and their demonstra- and ere long he stood in an old salt lick-a place that had afforded him shelter before.

"The old place is unchanged," he said, surreying the situation of the bushes and fallen trees. "If I had Jennie here, I'd break for the Ohio, and come back some other time for Tom's

a slight noise startled him, and, to his utmost surprise, his name was called in a low tone.

an arrow, and lo! before him stood the girl he sought-Jennie Martin! "Jennie-Jennie Martin, in the name of

"He brought me thither," she said, looking crouched down in the fence corner. beyond the astonished man.

"Who, Jennie?"

"Look there, Nat!" Before he could turn his head, a hand touched his shoulder, and the voice of Shawnce Tom fell upon his ears.

than he is now, he found a little Indian brave shot in the woods. He dressed the wound signal for a shout from the spectators, and a made by pale face's rifle, and made the boy a bed of leaves. He gave the boy something to But in passing the house, Julius was seen thro' He evidently knew what was coming; but eat. Pale face, that boy is here!" and the chief he ceased to smile when he saw what long smote his breast. "He is Shawnee Tom-he here!" He shot the cord and freed the man that saved his life in the forest. Before the sun went down he brought the pale face girl here, for he knew that the slayer would hide in the Then a strong rope of sinews was passed across lick after his run. Shawnee Tom is the slayer's foe after to-night, for he has paid him for saving his life. Now, let the pale faces go back to that Venango's heart is all right. He told the But the cruel rope, almost choking him, held slayer, when he found him behind the tree, that him firmly to the tree, and escape not only he would never forget him! Ha! Tom never

forgets!" As he finished, he folded his arms, and looked into the pioneer's face.

"I'm much obliged to you," said Garrett. " guess we're even now. I helped you once, and you helped me. Tom, I didn't think you'd do The settler led the girl away leaving the In-

dian alone in the lick. "It was all Shawnee Tom's work," said Jennie. "He has made love to me twenty times

Garrett guided his beautiful charge safely through the forest, and one night at the fron-This practice of shooting coon skulls from tier station she wedded her youthful lover.

the paraphernalia of savage rank, and his feather-decorated head had remained unscalped. They all said-and I believe, truly-that by

man, had fallen Shawnee Tom, the red desperado of the wilderness.

The Christians and the Jews. At a prayer-meeting in Raleigh, week before last, at the Presbyterian Church, Rev. Mr. Burwell, of Peace Institute, spoke of the Jewish race in the kindest and most complimentary terms. He mentioned that in his many years' experience of school life he had taught the daughters of Jews and he always found them exemplars of the most polite and careful home aising; he had never seen a Jewish girl at his school but that she was a perfect little lady. He said that he had often heard that a Jew could not be found in a penitentiary; he knew there were five hundred persons in our own penitentiary and there wasn't a Jew among them. ing to put an end to this matter, and I want It was a singular fact that there were as many man, and is in every way worthy of his fortune, Jews upon the earth now as lived in the time

Mr. Mangum said he felt very warm toward to us, and we'll cheerfully bear the burden for the Jews, that once when stationed in Greens- him .- Troy Times. bero he walked to his church in company with a Jew and they conversed upon their different religions, and before they got to the gate he Northampton county, Judge Henry sentenced them and they both felt they were children of

We add to these reverend gentlemen that we not only never heard of a Jew in a prison house but we never heard of one being hung, never world," ejaculated Garrett. "It's too dark en- saw one a beggar, nor heard of their daughters tirely too dark, and the darkness is what Tom disgracing them, and that statisticians declare a marked difference between Jews and Chris-The seconds that followed the lifting of the tians as to longerity, fifty of one hundred Chris-Shawnee's rifle seemed minutes to the man at tians die before the age of 57, and with the Jews the same proportion reaches beyond 67.

PACIFIC MAIL REVELATIONS .- Further investigation proves that the case is even worse ranted by any facts known to the public-could than was at first supposed, and that the number of members of Congress who had the sus- circumstances. We have never published such listener, and the captive was seen to dart from picious \$1,000 notes just after the passage of a document before, and we must say that noththe bill was a score or more.

The manner in which the money was dis- der a constitutional government. It almost tributed was very simple, and was supposed, induces one to believe that we have gone back perfectly safe. The thousand dollar note was two or three hundred years in the theory and placed in an envelope and sent to the member practice of government. Cromwell did, indeed, of Congress without any accompanying com- serve Ireland pretty much as Gen. Sheridan

Steamship Company to swear that he never government had been definitely abandoned. paid any member of Congress any money to We are at a loss to make out what are General vote for the bill, and the recipient to swear that | Sheridan's ideas of the Constitution under which he never received any money from the compa- he lives, or of the functions of Congress, or of

The corn crop of the United States for 1874 is reported by the Agricultural Department at torn from his grasp, and a moment later, a slightly more than 800,000,000 bushels. This Shawnee's brains glistened on the Autumn is a reduction of 120,000,000 bushels from the corn crop of 1873, which was itself "not a good The pioneer then turned for his life, and ran | year for corn." Two crops having thus been below the average, it is to be hoped that the corn crop of 1875 may be a good one

> Jas. D. Hughes, an Internal Revenue Collector of Salisbury, was shot and severely issue a proclamation declaring them banditti, wounded in the arm while attempting to enter no further action need be taken except that which

Durham, with a population of nearly 2,000 souls, is without a resident lawyer.

Evidence.

One of the most fiend-like-no, it were

slander to say that Satan would do such a work of judge or jury. This would certainly be re--- acts were perpetrated on Monday night, the solving government into its primitive elements: 26th ult., in the Cottonwood neighborhood. A The last word still quivered on his lips, when camp-meeting was progressing at the Cottonwood school house, four miles south of Sequin. On this night Mr. Job Drennan, his wife, He turned like a man struck in the side with daughter and child of ten years, on returning home from the meeting, were shot by wayside assassins. Drennan was killed, his daughter, riding behind him on the same horse, received Heaven, how came you here?" cried the pio- five wounds, and Mrs. Drennan received one severe wound. The daughter alone saw a man or disregard of law than he has done in his

Next morning Judge Moore held an inquest on the body of Mr. Drennan. Among the evidence a piece of gun wadding was found, but partially burned. On opening it, it proved to be a piece of a German newspaper. Boot tracks were found and followed, leading directly to privileges of the Legislature of Louisiana. the homes of old man Kunda and his son Fred. These houses were already strongly guarded by citizens, whose suspicions fell there, waiting for the officers' arrival. At Fred Kunda's house it was asked, "Is Julius here?" Fred answered. "No: he's down at the old man's." a window. The brothers were both arrested.

Proceeding to the old man's, on his mantel shelf was found a torn newspaper. To the rent in it was applied the piece of gun wad, which fitted precisely. On reading the sundered matter now brought together, to further test the connection proper, it proved complete. The interpreter read a broken line: "And he raised his gun to his face and shot him dead." Most singular coincidence, though but part of a story in a paper.

All the family were brought to town, and on Wednesday, the 29th, after a court of examination, Julius and Albert Kunda were committed to prison, and the old man and Fred Kunda held to bail in the sum of \$3,000 each.

A Man Who Wasn't Elated Over Becoming a Millionaire. An uncle of Michael Hogan, of West Troy,

N. Y., died recently in Pennsylvania, leaving coal lands valued at \$5,000,000 to a portion of which Michael is heir. Forty years ago Michael Hogan, then twenty-one years of age and an uncle, the only survivors of a numerous family, came to this country, and adopted it as their own. Michael, a hard-working, industrious young man, finally took up his residence in West Troy. The uncle went to Pottsville, Penn., or that vicinity, and after laboring a number of years, purchased with his earnings a large tract of land. Michael also saved monev, and in the course of time laid by enough to start himself in the grocery business, in which it can be truthfully said he prospered. The venture of his nucle turned out to be a most profitable oue. The lands purchased by him were found to contain abundance of coal, and by judicious management he gradually increased his earthly store until at the time of his death, which occurred a few days ago, he was with whom he had not communicated for sixteen years, had died, and that he was his only surviving heir. Michael was not at all clated at this announcement, and appeared rather sorry in fact that such a good fortune had come to him. He was getting old, he said, and would not want so much money, besides he had enough for himself, wife and daughter, and the possession of the immense amount mentioned above would only bring trouble and disgrace upon his family eventually, as young people newadays did not know how to spend money, As we have stated, Michael is a sober, industrious which he intends to claim next week. If he is so sorry about this foatune he can turn it over

At the late term of the special court for

Political.

Will Nothing Make Them Pause?

The New York Times, for ability, character and influence, is the principal newspaper which represents and advocates the principles and policy of the Republican party in this country, from employment men who will not vote with and here is what it says of the present condi- them. We have seen policemen discharged in tion of affairs in Louisiana:

"Such a dispatch as that which Gen. Sheri-

dan sent to the Secretary of War is not warscarcely be warranted under any conceivable ing like it has ever been seen in a country unproposes to treat Louisiana; but most of us This enabled the agent of the Pacific Mail were under the impression that that system of the powers of the Executive, to say nothing of the powers which may be rightfully exercised by a lieutenant general in the army. He first of all suggests that Congress should pass a bill declaring a certain class of the people of Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi 'banditti.' How many he would include in this class does not appear, nor does he explain since what date in our history it has been usual for officers in the army to presume to dictate to Congress as to the legislation it should adopt. But a moment afterward a still better idea strikes him, and he says: 'It is possible that if the President would would devolve upon me.' If this means any thing, it means that Gen. Sheridan would forthwith proceed to hang or shoot as many persons also a graduate at West Point."

The rising moon showed him the forest paths A Remarkable Case of Circumstantial as he chose to bring under his description of banditti.' We have then a plain proposal that This story is told by the Gaudaloupe (Texas) the President shall 'declare' an indefinite number of citizens 'banditti,' and that Gen. Sheridan should then deal with them without benefit but there is a shorter cut still which Gen. Sheridan might have recommended. It is for the President to declare the Constitution and all its amendments annulled, shut up Congress, put down all the newspapers, and then proclaim himself Dictator, with Gen. Sheridan as his sole minister and chief executioner. If Gen. Sheridan had followed this course at once, he would scarcely have shown a greater ignorance most extraordinary, and we must add, disgraceful dispatch of Jan. 5."

Grant's Lame Apology.

The only defense that the President offers for this daring and high-handed invasion of the which are in truth the rights of the people of that State and of the whole United States is that the army is not composed of lawyers capable of judging at a moment's notice of just how far they could go in the maintenance of law and order." We suppose not; but we suppose the army to be commanded by men sufficiently instructed in their own duty, their country's laws and the rudiments of civil liberty, to know that if they were ordered to-morrow to disperse at the point of the bayonet either House of Congress, obedience to their military superior would be treason to their country. If every fact relied upon by the President were true, it would constitute no justification of the part played by the soldiers of the United States in the organization of the Louisiana Legislature.

The tale of "outrages" recited in the message proves nothing beyond the utter failure of the Radical Administration in that State, and the impotency of the Government which Judge Durell set up, and the President has kept in place.

The tone of this part of the message does not rise above the level of a campaign document, or a prosecuting attorney's special plea. It is the brief of an advocate whose business is to make out a case, not a judicial summing up of a magistrate charged with the impartial enforcement of the laws. The most choracteristic part of the message is that in which the President refers to the disregard of his former recommendations by Congress, and seeks to shift upon the shoulders of that body the responsibility of whatever has occurred. Congress may be, and doubtless is, greatly to blame for the present condition of Louisiana, but the failure of Congress to do its duty cannot excuse the President for a palpable violation of his. and of the Constitution he has sworn to obey, protect and defend .- Balt. Sun.

A Good Witness and a Good Point. Senator Schurz, in his splendid speech on

Louisiana, a fewdays ago, said: "I shall be the last man on earth to say a word of excuse for Southern ruffians who threaten a negro voter with violence. I know worth \$6,000,000. Last week Michael received no language too severe to condemn; but I caninformation from an attorney that his uncle not jorget that the only act of terrorism and intimidation I ever happened to witness with my own eyes was the cruel clubbing and stoning of a colored man in North Carolina, in 1872, by men of his own race, because he had declared for the Conservatives; and if the whole story of the South were told, it would be discovered that such a practice has not been unfrequent. I cannot forget that as to the discharge of laborers from employment for political cause, a most seductive and demoralizing example is set by the highest authority in tue land. While we have laws on our statute book imposing a penalty for the intimidation of voters by threatened or actual discharge from employment, it is the notorious practice of your Government to discharge every one of its employees who dares to oppose the admin-

istration party." The testimony of Senator Schurz as to the North Carolina incident, says the Mobile Register, cannot be placed by Senator Morton at the door of lying Southern newspapers and lying telegraph agents. He saw it with his own eyes, just as we all have seen similar outrages all over the South. It was only a few days ago that a colored statesman of Vicksburg informed the Congressional Committee that any negro who voted the Democratic ticket should have his head chopped off.

The other point made by Mr. Schurz is also well put. The Radicals invariably discharge Mobile for voting the Democratic ticket.

What They Go For.

The full Committee spent four or five days trying to force Messrs. Phelps, Foster and Potter to take back their report on the Louisiana affairs, and, unable to prevail upon them, attempted to suppress it. Now, it is said, Messrs. G. F. Hoar, Frye and Wheeler propose going to New Orleans to see what a fist they can make of the affair, and to present, if possible, a report more favorable to the Administration. Are they really simple enough to imagine that they will do their party any good be such a course? They start upon their trip foredoomed to fail. In effect they declare to their political associates, "These three gentlemen have reported the wrong way and told some unpleasant truths, and new we are going to see if it is really out of the question to make a more favorable showing for the Republican party than they have found in their conscience to make," If the Hoar report then should differ from the Foster report, which will men be-

Gentlemen in Congress, that rotten carcass in Louisiana is past saving. Throw it overboard, and for the sake of common sense and common decency do wash your hands.

An exchange remarks: "Would it not be well if our students at West Point were taught something besides the manual of arms? A short course of constitutional law would have been a benefit to Sheridan and Grant, and even to the bellicose Belknap, who, we presume was

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TENNESSEE SENATOR .- Andrew Johnson was elected U. S. Senator in place of Mr. Brownlow, on the 26th ult., on the 55th ballot, Governor Brown having declined to have his name again before the committee. The vote stood, Johnson 52, Stephens 23, Henry 11, Erving 9, Key 3.

The enthusiasm and excitement over the election of Hon. Andrew Johnson to the United States Senate is beyond description. At night he made a thirty minutes' speech to upwards of teu thousand people in the public square, an-nouncing his adherence to Democratic principles as set forth in his administration of the government and former speeches.

Andrew Johnson Defines his Politics.

It having been charged, in order to defeat his Senatorial aspirations, that ex-President Johnson has sought in the past to make odious the ex-Confederate soldiers; that he had assailed the Democratic party, and that he is no Democrat, the ex-President has replied as follows, the reply being published in the Nashville (Tennessee) papers of Sunday last:

"My whole public acts demonstrate that I exhausted all the powers and prerogatives of the office of President in behalf of Confederate soldiers, and I went so far that Congress, under the influence of an extreme party spirit, repealed the amnesty act authorizing the President to pardon rebels. Then I fell back to the pardoning power under the Constitution, and under this power, on the 25th of December, 1868, I issued a proclamation of general amnesty, releasing and relieving all those who had fought against the flag. This was assailed by Radical leaders, but the Supreme Court of the UnitedStates has within the past year, I believe, decided in my favor. When the impeachment trial was going on my exercise of the pardoning power was one of the items of inquiry by the committee. Now as to my Democracy. I think no one who can read can be ignorant of my political views. I think I am in line with the Democracy of the nation, and the unwilling testimony of my palitical opponents has established that I was nominated as a Union Democrat for Vice President, andI think that my wholeilife shows me to be Democratic-an unadultered Democrat!"

This is the second time that Andrew Johnson He served before in that body from 1857 to 1862, when he was appointed military Gover- contribute to the customs revenue. nor of Tennessee during the war. It is the President has become a United States Senator, by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue in and the second instance in which an ex-President has ever entered Congress, John Quincy | believed that if any increase is made it will be Adams having been returned to the House of to the extent of ten cents per gallon. Representatives after his retirement, from the Executive chair Senator Johnson has filled, we believe, every position in his State and country, from county magistrate to the Presidency of the United States. No other such instance of political success is on record.

The Supreme Court.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT DECISION. - We learn from the Era that on Tuesday the 26th ult., the Supreme Court in the cases of the State in relation to Cloud vs. Wilson, and of the Attorney General vs. Hilliard, found that Wilson is not antitled to the office of Judge of the 8th Judicial District and that Hilliard is not enti-

This would seem to involve the illegality of all the proceedings had at the terms held by Judges Wilson and Hilliard and render them nugators -Et I seil A crican.

The people will put Wilson on the bench person for the teachings in her paper.

again when said term of Cloud expires. Appeals from the 8th District were called and

for plaintiff; J. F. Garner for defendant.

General for State and McCorkle and Builey for nole Indians, says the Danville Times 1 defendant.

Jessie T. Eaton vs. S. A. Kelly et al., from Craige & Craige for defendant.

from Stokes. Scales & Scales for plaintiff and commendable action." Dillard & Gilmer and Shipp & Bailey for de-

Burwell East and wife vs. Samuel Dalchite. Bailey for plaintiff, and Scales & Scales and J. reached and passed.

F. Graves for defendant. William Davis vs. Commissioners of Stokes county, from Forsyth-two cases. Dillard &

Gilmer, Scales & Scales and Shipp & Bailey for plaintiffs, and J, F. Graves for defendant.

Affairs in South Carolina.

Judge T. J. Mackey, Ropublican, who was sent by Governor Chamberlain to investigate the recent troubles in Edgefield county, has made his report in which he lays blame chiefly upon the gross abuses in the county government. He declares that no English speaking people have been subjected to a like infliction since the Saxon wore the Norman collar. He says the officers of the colored militia have been in the habit of calling out their men whenever a personal quarrel arose between white and colored men, and this in spite of the fact that the State Constitution gives to the Governor alone power to call out the militia. He recommends the immediate disbandment and disarming of the militia. It is said Governor Chamberlain will act upon this recommendation.

Since the above we have received the intelligence that Gov. Chamberlain has disarmed the military organizations, including the colored militia in Edgefield county.

DEATH OF A TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOL-LAR Cow .- On Saturday, the 16th ult., says the Paris Kentuckian, the Fourth Duchess of was purchased by Megibben & Bedford, Octofor \$25,000. She leaves a bull three months ties known to legislative bodies. old, by the Fourteenth Duke of Thorndale, said to be one of the finest Dukes in the country. fore lost two costly bulls.

LENT.-Lent will begin this year on the 10th of February, much earlier than it has done is within six days of the usual period upon half a million of dollars, about a week ago. which it can ever possibly occur. On some years Easter falls as late as the 25th of April. Some years there are as many as nine Sundays solemn fast of Lent.

now twenty-three out of thirty-seven.

Fourteen States elected Governors on Tues-Democratic, viz: Alabama, Geo. S. Houston: Arkansas, A. H. Garland; Delaware, John P. Cochrane; Massachusetts, William Gaston; Michigan, Henry Chamberlain; Missouri, Chas. H. Hardin; Nevada, L. B. Bradley; New Jersey, Joseph D. Bedle; Tennessee, Jas. D. Porter: New York, S. H. Tilden. The Radicals elected only Silas Garber, in Nebraska, Chamberlain, in South Carolina, and T. A. Osborne in Kansas.

Another Slanderer Convicted. Shortly after the publication of Sheridan's infamous banditti dispatch, one Gen. Merrill, known to the people of upper South Carolina by reason of the number and enormity of the wrongs inflicted upon them, some three years since, by the soldiery under his command, moved by an ignoble ambition to equal, if not exment, professing to give particulars of outrages committed upon Republican voters in Louisiana by the White Leagues. These statements came to the attention of certain residents of Shreveport, men of Northern birth, who had entered into business there, and they have pub- of these. lished a card denying in the plainest and most emphatic manner the statement of the mendacious official; and declaring from their personal knowledge that there is and has been no onpression of the negroes and that the industrious obtain paying employment without difficulty .-Raleigh News.

The Proposed Increase of Taxa-

The Secretary of the Treasury has sent to the Ways and Means Committee tabulated revenue that could be provided by re-enacting the import duty on coffee and tea, by repealing the ten per cent. horizontal reduction on sundry articles effected by the tariff act of 1872, and by imposing various rates of duty on a number of articles now on the free list.

In regard to the latter, Secretary Bristow makes no recommendations, but merely enumerates a large number of articles which are imported free to an aggregate amount of some forty million dollars per annum, and from which the committee may select, with this dehas been elected to the United States Senate. tailed information now before them, such as can most properly in their opinion, be made to

The Secretary also transmitted to the first instance, too, in our history, where an ex- mittee similar statistics and estimates prepared regard to the tax on whiskey. It is generally

Economy in the administration of the government, retrenchment and reform, is the vopular watchword. Millions might be saved if a stop were put to the squandering of money upon public buildings; leakages might be stopped in many places, sufficient to meet the present deficiency, and provide for an economical administration of the government, without burdening the people with increased taxation.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Woman's National Suffrage Convention met in Washington last week. We notice that Dr. Mary Walker offered a resolution denounctled to the office of Judge of the 2d Judicial ing as "unrepublican the requirement that women in the government departments shall not wear pantaloons."

Mrs Mary LeFevre created quite a sensation. She came all the way from England for the express purpose of thanking Mrs. Woodhull in

Our readers know what sort of a woman she endorses .- Danville Times. Three hundred negroes have petitioned Con-

Hugh Grayson vs. John R, Patterson, frem gress to set apart some portion of the South for Surry. Dillard & Gilmer, and Shipp & Bailey their exclusive use, with similar protection, by the United States government to that now given State vs. Barren Carter from Davie, Attorney by law to the Cherokee, Choctaw, and Semi-

Whereupon the Petersburg News remarks: "If Congress should set aside some territory Dave, McCorkle and Bailey for plaintiff and between two tribes of good scalping Indians for carpet-baggers and scallawags, instead of Martha Simmons vs. Noah Westmoreland, for the poor negroes, it would perform a most

The Radicals were still caucusing on Louisiana affairs, Jan, 30th.

On Monday, a resolution was offered to amend from Stokes. Dillard & Gilmer and Shipp & the rules, so that the civil rights bill could be

Referred to the Committee on Rules.

U. S. SENATORS ELECTED.—The Democrats have elected Gen. Cockrell of Missouri, Mr. Wallace of Pennsylvania, Mr. McDonald of Indiana, Mr. Kernan of New York, Mr. Bayard of Delaware, and Mr. Johnson of Tennessee. The Republicans have elected Mr. Dawes of Massachusetts, Mr. Hamilton of Maine, Mr. Christianey of Michigan, Mr. Burnside of Rhode Island. Elections in West Virginia, Wiscon-

sin, Minnesota and Florida are yet pending. The Democratic members elect will reduce the majority of the Republicans to such an exas to make them cautious. They still retain a majority. Yet they see the "hand-writing on the wall" and are anything but easy in their

The government printing and advertising was taken from the New York Evening Post, a republican paper, because its editor, Wm. Cullen Bryant, was one of the speakers at the New York indignation meeting. Who will send for Phil. Sheridan?

And yet, if Southerners discharge hands for voting against their interest, it is to come under | Company. the head of intimidation, with a penalty attach-

THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL.—The radicals in Oneida died at the Hon. T. J. Megibben's. She | Congress are still determined to pass the Civil Rights bill, while the Democrats and Conservaber, 1873, at Campbell's New York Mills sale, tives are fighting it with all parliamentary tac-

N. C. JOURNAL OF EDUCATION.—We are in Thus the \$25,000 heifer has met the same fate as the \$10,000 gow. Mr. E. G. Bedferd has been particularly unfortunate, having hereto-formation for school teachers, and of interest formation for school teachers, and of interest formation amounts of a Public Guardian in each county, was a school teachers and of interest formation for school teachers, and to the public.

SAFE ROBBED .- It is stated that the Adams' Express safe from Richmond, Va., has disapsince 1869. This will bring the high festival peared while on the way from the depot to the passed its third and final reading. of Easter this year on the 28th of March, which | Express office in New York, containing nearly

THE SPECIAL TAX BONDS .- Judge Henry has recently rendered a decision involving the between Epiphany and Ash Wednesday, but legality of the State Special Tax Bonds, this year there will be only five Sundays inter- amounting to sixteen millions of dollars. We vening between the jubilee of Epiphany and the have not room for the lengthy opinion of the Judge, but it may be sumed up, according to the News, as follows: "The decision of Judge DEMOCRATIC GOVERNORS .- In 1870 six States | Henry goes to the root of the matter, and the had Democratic Governors. The number is principles of law he establishes are fatal to the entire issue of special tax bonds."

Judge Pearson, some time since, also differday, November 3, and eleven of the elect are ed from a majority of the Supreme Court and land. held "the entire sixteen millions of special tax bonds to have been issued without warrant of law and to be absolutely null and void.

> The telegraph line between Wilmington and Charlotte is finished.

The Republican Losses.

The New York World publishes official returns of the elections since 1872, which show that in the course of two years the Republican party, which elected its President by a majority of over 760,000 votes, has been put in a minority of over 750.000 votes. In 1872 their party carried thirty States, and by the end of 1874 had lost all but eleven of them. There has been a steady Republican loss everywhere, and a steady opposition gain everywhere. New York has jumped from 53,000 Republican macel his chief in mendacity, published a state- jority to 62,000 majority, and Pennsylvania has changed from 137,000 Republican majority to 7,000 opposition majority. The epposition has possession of the four greatest States of the Union-New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois. Two years ago it possessed not one

The report of the Labor Council of Boston. just issued, is interesting as showing how votes are made in districts where navy-yards are sitnated. This report shows that on the day of election in November last there were 2,450 men on the books of the Charleston (Mass.) navy-yard, all drawing full pay. Work there was none. But these men voted; and now 250 men constitute the force, and these are employed in taking care of Government property, as nothing is being done in the construction destatements showing the increased amount of partment. There was nothing being done in the construction department in November, but men were paid by the Government in order to use them as voters.

> GORDON AGAIN .- A few days ago Mr. Howe burst out into statesmanship in the Senate, and talked about anarchy, murder and crimes that previled in Louisiaua. Mr. Gordon rose in his seat and mildly and affectionately inquired of the enraged speaker how it was, if the government of the State, the Judiciary, and all the several Judicial Districts: machinery of the State were in the hands of the Republicans, backed by a Republican President, and a majority of the people supporting Jas. F. Latham. Kellogg, that the Courts, aided by the army of Third District-Geo. W. Stanton, J. C. the United States, did not bring these criminals | Wooten. to justice, and bring order out of chaos. This conundrum was acknowledged. Howe winced but finally got out of the dilemma by making triumphant and categorical answer that he didn't wish to be bothered.

SCIENCE OF HEALTH for February is an excellent number of a magazine which it would pay every person to read for the practical information it contains. It opens with a spicy sketch of " What I know about Doctoring; contains, also, Hygiene in Schools; Catarrh; Popular Physiology, illustrated; Diphtheria Cause and Cure; The Treatment of Sick People; Maize or Indian Corn varieties, with Recipes for cooking; A Medical Education; Physicians for Schools; Effects of Fear on Health; Nice Christmas Dinner; How to Relieve the Poor; Food for the Timid; Clothing Children.

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STATE LEGISLATURE.

CONDENSED FROM THE RALEIGH NEWS.

In SENATE, on the 23rd, a petition was presented from Alamance County to amend the present usury law to 6 per cent. as the highest rate of interest. Also a memorial from Orange. asking higher tax on worthless dogs. Alas! that dog tax will hardly be granted.

The change of time of holding the Court in

the Third Judicial District passed its several readings. The Legislature seemeth to let no session pass without making new counties and changing the times of holding courts. We are pleased to see the News opposing the making of new counties. The following resolution on Constitutional

Reform, was adopted by a vote of 39 to 9. Resolved by the Senute, the House of Representatives concurring, That the present Constitution is unsuited to the wants of the people of the State, is a check upon their energy and impedes their welfare, and that the people demand that the burdens contained in the same shall be

removed from their shoulders. Resolved further, that we, the General Assembly, will relieve them of these checks to their welfare, prosperity and happiness, at the soonest practicable moment by one or the other of the modes provided in the Constitution. The following members voted again t the

Resolution: Nays—Messrs. Bryant, Cantwell, N. S. Cook, Holton, Mabson, Paschall, Peebles. Sneed and Tucker-9. Mr. Cooke, of Franklin, on Friday introduced a bill to repeal the law which allows liens to be made to merchants on crops, before said

crops are made, the repeal to go into effect on the 1st of January, 1876. In the HOUSE, a large number of petitions were introduced and referred, and a number of reports from Committees submitted. An ineffectual attempt was made to have the Louisiana resolutions reconsidered; the bill to provide for two additional terms of the Su-

preme Court for Mecklenburg county was called up and passed its readings. SENATE, January 27.-Reports were made from various standing committees.

The bill to provide for two additional terms of the Superior Court for Mecklenburg county,

was taken up and passed its third reading. The bill for the relief of disabled Confederate soldiers from North Carolina, relieving them from taxation in certain cases, was lost.

In the HOUSE Mr. Wheeler presented a bill to incorporate the Yadkin Turnpike and Bridge Mr. Staples moved a reconsideration of the

vote by which the Senate resolutions in regard

to Constitutional reform were laid on the table yesterday, and after some discussion, the resolutions were adopted by 77 to 25. The following noted against it: Messrs. Barnett, Blythe, Boyd, Brewington, Bunn, Carter, Cary, Crews, Glenn, Godwyn, Good, Hill, Hughes, Jones. Lloyd, Moore, Newell. Norment, Pa.ker, Scott, Thorne, Walden, Ward,

Whisnant and White-25.

i considered and adopted.

In the HOUSE the bill to authorize the city of Greensboro to issue bonds, with amendments

House bill to amend section 15, chapter 156. laws of 1868-'69, entitled landlord and tenant. after considerable discussion, passed its several ers who established schools and churches in

The bill to extend the jurisdiction of the offieers of towns and cities was taken up as the special order for 12 c'olock. A number of mendments were offered, and considerable discussion ensued thereon. On motion the bill and amendments were laid on the table. Subsequently the vote was reconsidered, and on motion of Mr. Means, recommitted to the Judiciary Committee.

SENATE, Jan. 29.-Bill providing for deposit of mortgage instead of money or land. Provides that a party can give a mortgage on his real estate and bring suit on it instead of on

mington was considered. It proposes to divide the city into three wards instead of five, according to the valuation of the property, passed, 34

HOUSE proceedings unimportant, except the Usury bill, which was discussed to adjournment.

SENATE, Jan. 30 .- The Usury bill coming up as unfinished business, was considered and postponed to Monday. Nothing else of general interest. In the HOUSE, the resolution of instruction to the Judiciary Committee in regard to draw-

ing a bill in relation to cheap chattel mortgag-House resolution in regard to appropriations for increasing the capacity of the Insane Asylum. Referred to Joint Committee on the In-

sane Asylum, with instructions to report back in A bill to transfer to the jurisdiction of the Superior Court, violation of the laws for selling liquors on election days passed its readings.

In SENATE on Monday, the business was principally of a local nature, not interesting to Mr. Waring presented a bill from the Joint Committee on Public Debt, comprising several

amendments to the bill committed to the Com-The Usury bill coming up as unfinished business was discussed, but pending the discussion, further consideration was postponed until to-

In the HOUSE, the standing committees submitted reports, and a quantity of locals were

Senate resolution requiring the burning of, or otherwise destroying all cancelled bonds and coupons in the Treasurer's office passed. House bill to amend chapter 25, section 109, Battle's Revisal, in regard to salaries and fees passed its readings. The first special order—the bill to amend the

the Committee. The second being the bill in relation to the sale of the Western North Carolina Railroad, was postponed till next Monday. The bill to amend the charter of the city of

dultry act, was on motion recommitted to

STATE ITEMS.

Wilmington passed by a strict party vote-

69 to 31.

The Raleigh News says: The following named gentlemen have been appointed Vice Presidents of the State Agricultural Society for the First District-Maj. H. A. Gilliam, Hon. Mills L. Eure.

Second District-Capt. Jas. R. Thigpen, Dr. Fourth District-Maj. J. A. Engelhard, Col

V. V. Richardson. Fifth District-A. A. McKeethan, L. L. Polk Sixth District-E. W. Pou, P. E. Smith. Seventh District-Col. Gco. Williamson, J. Eighth District-R. L. Patterson, T. W.

Ninth District-W. R. Myers, Jasper Stowe. Tent District-Hon. R. F. Armfield, H. C. Shuford.

The Charlotte Democrat says: We regret to earn that Mr. W. A. Knox, of Providence Township, in this county, was killed on Friday afternoon last while engaged in packing cotton at his press. Mr. Knox was fixing something in the packing box, when the "sinker," which had been run up, broke loose and fell upon him, killing him instantly. He was a good citizen and leaves a wife and four children to mourn his sudden death

The Mardi-Grass Ball Masque to come off at the Central Hotel, in Charlotte, on the 9th inst., promises to be a grand affair.

Mr. E. T. Clemmons is building a large hotel in Asheville.

J. T. Brastick, of New Salem, in Randolph. has placed on the table of the Greensboro Putriot, a turnip which weighs ten pounds and measures 291 inches in circumference.

The Greensboro Patriot: The Internal Revenue officers made a raid on distillers in Randolph county last week and captured a number of stills. We understand that on the way here hostile demonstrations were made by parties to whom the stills belonged and some of them recaptured.

Col. James W. Hinton, of Norfolk, formerly of North Carolina, an excellent lawyer and an orator of considerable reputation, died recently of heart disease at his residence.

Concord Sun: There have been found in this (Cabarrus) county some beautiful specialso been discovered. Several young gentlemen here have had these stones cut and set in rings, shirt and sleeve buttons, and some ladies' jewelry has been made from them.

There have been about 120 bills of indictment found in Raleigh, under the Minor Liquor Law, against various liquor dealers in that

Raleigh News: The oldest member of the North Carolina bar, who received his license in this State, is Judge Bailey of Asheville. Hon. A. W. Venable, of Oxford, received his license in Virginia, we think in 1820, and is a few months the senior of Judge Bailey. Judge B. is also one of the few surviving members of worth \$170 each; 521 passenger cars of all the 1835 Convention.

the University of North Carolina in 1853.

The Grand Jury has found 2,000 indictments in Wake county against parties for failing to list their poll taxes; 1.400 of the indictments within the short period of five years. For the are confined to Raleigh township.

The Tarboro Southerner says : Col. John L. Bridgers' cotton crop this season is 711 bales in the aggregate, 330 of which were raised on his Strabane farm, 191 on the Middle Place, and 181 on the Oak Spring farm. This is the heaviest crop we have yet heard of in the State for

One of the children of Letty Lotta, colored, near Hillsboro, died a few days ago from drinking milk poisoned by standing too long in a crock, and two others are not expected to live.

The young ladies of the Cleaveland Seminary, at Shelby, in charge of Mrs. Brevard, gave a concert in Shelby, the proceeds of which (\$25) were given to the Orphans in the Asylum at

GENERAL NEWS.

WHERE THE MONEY GOES .- There are 782,-000,000 gallons of beer consumed annually in England. In Germany the number of gallons is 146,000,000 of beer. and 121,000,000 of wine. Frenchmen drink every year 51,800.000 of beer, SENATE, January 28.—The resolution to and 600,000,000 of wine. In the United States to \$2,000,000,000 more.

A suit has been instituted in the United States Court at Nashville, Tenn., by Reuben Wright, of Fairfax county, Va., against the Southern Methodist Church, for \$45,997 86, the amount alleged to have been loaned to preachthe Choctaw Nation. The plaintiff's bill alleges that he was an Indian trader in the Choctaw Nation in 1861, at which time the Methodist Episcopal Church South sent out a number of persons to establish a manual labor school in that nation. Wright claims that he advanced large sums to these persons, and that at the \$25,000, for which sum, with other moneys afterwards advanced, he is now suing.

In his sermon last Sunday, Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, speaking to New York people, said: "There are in this cluster of cities-I mean New York, Jersey City and Brooklyn-there Bill to amend the charten of the city of Wil-ment houses, with no opportunity for seclusion or decency; and do you wonder that so many of them forget the covenant of their God?-Forty and fifty families sometimes crowded under one roof. One hundred and seventy thousand families living in 27,000 houses. This tenement-house outrage is more terrible than anything to be found in all Christendom, putting out of sight almost the London stories of St. Giles and Whitechapel. Those tenementhouses are the hopper for the mill that is grinding up the bodies and souls of men and women and little children.

> It is stated that an exceptionally large groupe of large spots is now visible on the surface of They may be perceived with smoked glass without the aid of a telescope. According to Mr. W. F. Denning, of Bristol, Fngland, the spots cover an area of nearly 78,000 miles.

Lieut.-Colonel Long, formerly editor of a newspaper in Maryland, and now an officer in the service of the Khedive of Egypt, claims to have discovered the true source of the Nile, between Urondegana and Uganda. To add weight to his testimony we will state the report that the Lt.-Colonel is a near relative of Col. Thos. B. Long of the Post Office Department, and Lugs-Very Common learned the art of war while serving as Lt. Col. of Col. Long's regiment.

The invention for making paper barrels was Leaf- Comm patented about six months ago, and there are two factories now working, one at Winona, Wis., and one at Decorah, Ia., the latter turning out 1,600 barrels per day. Their strength is said to be greater by four times than wooden barrels and of only half the weight, costing twenty per cent. less.

There are said to be upwards of a hundred private mansions near New York city which employ windmill power for pumping water, sawing wood, grinding, threshing grain, etc. The American Manufacturer states that in many cases they are superceding steam engines, water wheels, hydraulic rams, borse power and caloric engines, being run without cost, except for lubricating oil. These mills are not only noiseless, as now constructed, but they are also Lugs -- Common

Senator Schurz contemplates residing in the neighborhood of either Boston or New York for a year or two after he leaves the Senate, with a view to better facilities for the preparation of a political history of the United States, which is among his literary plans for the future, and for which he has made a large accumulation of

The Emperor of China died on the 12th ult. His successor is only five years of age.

From Constantinople it is reported that the news of the famine in Asia Minor is of an increasingly distressing character, that there is many deaths occur every day.

The New York Tub'et gives the following statistics of the Roman Cathslie Church in the United States: "Seven Archbishops, 53 bishops, 4,873 priests, 6,920 churches, chapels and stations, of which certainly 4,809 are churches, 18 theological seminaries, and 1,375 studying for the priesthood, 68 colleges, 511 academies. 1444 parish schools, 215 asylums, homes and refuges, 87 hospitals, and a Catholic population (exclusive of Baltimore, Charleston, Erie and Brooklyn, for which no estimate has been made) of 5,761,242. In 1814 there were 85 priests, not as many priests in the country as there are now Catholic hospitals, not as many priests as there are now of the three names, Walsh, Murphy and O'Connor!

An "outdacions" negro in the South Carolina Legislature, actually had the andacity to introduce a bill to levy a tax to support the unemployed negroes of Edgefield county. Wonderful to relate it was voted down

The University of Virginia will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary in June of this year. Oration by John S. Preston, poem by Daniel B. Lucas. Poor old Chapel Hill, all thy glory hath departed. Brighter prospects ahead, however.

The officer appointed to look after children employed in the Massachusetts factories reports that 60,000 children are growing up in ignorance because of their employment at too early an age in those factories.

Massachusetts has no time to look after the welfare of white children. She is trying to force negroes into white schools in the South. -Richmond Disputch.

GRAND MUSICAL RE UNION .- The twentyseventh day of February wil! be a memorial day in Louisville in more ways than one; on that day we shall have not only the great drawing of the last Library Concert, but also the great musical treat of Gilmore's renowned orchestra. Gilmore is the peer, if not the superior of Theodore Thomas or of Julian. This is his first visit to the West, and except for the mens of agate and amethyst. Some opals gift concert there is little probability that our nearly approximating the "noble opal" have citizens would ever have heard his wonderful performances. In the East people travel a hundred miles or more to attend one of his concerts. Remember that only those who hold at least a coupon ticket in the drawing can gain admission to the hall.

> Shall or shall I not? Is the question asked by many in regard to buying a Ticket in the Texas Gift Concern Association. We would answer: Should you not, your neighbor might buy the discarded ticket and thus be placed on the road to an easy fortune.

The Pennsylvania Railway Company owns about 16,000 eight wheeled freight cars, valued at \$512 each; 1,800 four wheel freight cars. grades, worth \$3,550 each, and 875 locomotive engines, worth \$11,000 each. Total valuation General Cockerell, the new Senator from of the rolling stock, \$25,726.550. The length Missouri, in place of Carl Schurz, graduated at of the company's tracks, or those controlled by the company, is 5,934 miles .- Scientific Amer.

Hogs.-The exports from this country of the products of the swine have increased sixfold four years ending in 1870 the combined exports of pork, bacon, hams and lard from the United States averaged 117,500,000 pounds per annum; for the year 1873 they amounted to 741,200,000 pounds. The exports of pork and beef increased from \$17,210,000 in 1870 to \$70.398,000 in 1873.

There are two hundred and twenty-one organized volunteer companies in the State of

-Last night the mercury in the thermometers froze. Small quantities of mercury in phials became congealed, and proof-whisky placed out doors froze solid in half an hour. Four Chinamen, who left town at 4 P. M., on Tuesday, were found on Wednesday morning, about half a mile from town, frozen to death, and the whisky which they had with them, in small kegs, was frozen solid. A report from Phil- FANCY ARTICLES, lipsburg, Montana, states that two Chinamen were frozen to death at that place.

GEORGIA.—The Legislature of Georgia or ganized on the 13th ult., by electing Col. Simmons of Bibb county, President of the Senate, and Col Thomas Hardeman, Speaker of the

There was, of course, no insurance on her. regular receipt of this magazine, devoted to authorize the Joint Select Committee to examthe annual consumption of beer is 297,000,000 San Francisco has a Chinese population of

tle are doomed.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's mother, in Greens. boro, on Tuesday evening, 26th ult., Miss Chasie Gilmer to Mr. S. J. Perry, of Columbia, S. C.

In Favetteville, on the 27th ult., ROBERT T. GRAY Esq., of Raleigh, Associate Editor of the Christ Advocate, to Miss Caro Lilly, of Fayetteville.

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Flour, 3 50 a 3 75	Candles ada. 18 a 20
Mool 91 a 3	Uils, Linseed 0.00 a 1 95
Chop. 21 a 23	Kerosene, 22 a 30
Bacon. 15 a 00	Sheetings, Fries' B. 81
Pork 0 0 a 9 00	A 9
Lard . 124 a 15	Yarn, Fries. 0 00 a 1 25
Force 15 a 20	Iron 5
Molescop 38 a 50	Iron, 5 a Nails, 6 a 61
	Calculation of a Gh.
	Calf Skins, green, 15 ets.
	Tallow, 8 a 10
	Tallow, 8 a 10 Beeswax, 28 a 30
	Clover Seed, 0 00 a 9 00
Apples, green, 75 a 1 00	Home grown; 0.00a 0.00
dried, 4 a 10	Barrels Flour, Fruit 50
Potatoes,sw. 40 a 50	Brick, 6.00 a 10.00
" irish, 1 25 a 000	Shingles.
	Long leaf pine, 4.50 a 5.50
Sugar. 8 a 15	Hay, per cwt. 60 a 65
"crushed, 15 a 18	Rags, 2½ a 3
	Butter Beans, 13
	Dried Cherries 20 to 25
Dried Black	perries 0
	Wheat, 1 35 a 1 50 Flour, 3 50 a 3 75 Meal, 2½ a 3 75 Meal, 2½ a 3 3 75 Meal, 2½ a 2¾ Bacon, 15 a 00 Pork, 0 0 a 9 00 Lard, 12¼ a 15 Eggs, 15 a 20 Molasses, 38 a 50 Cheese Fac. 18 a 25 " Mount. 15 a 20 Butter 25 a 30 Peas, 1 oo a 00 Apples, green, 75 a 1 00 dried, 4 a 10 Potatoes, sw. 40 a 50 irish, 1 25 a 000 Coffee, 20 a 30 Sugar, 8 a 15 "crushed, 15 a 18 Dried peel, peach, 12½ a 22 " unpeel ½ " 6a 8

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25 00 to 40 00

45 00 to 60 00 Fayetteville, Jan. 27.-- Bacon 12 a 14 Flour, \$7.00 a \$0.00; Corn \$5 a 100; Oats 80 a 00; Rye, \$0 00; Wheat, \$0 00 a \$0 00 Lard, 15 a 16; Whisky, \$0.00; Brandy, \$0.00

WRAPPERS-Common to medium 15 00 to 22 50

Good to fine

a \$00; Salt, \$1 50 a 1 60. Charlotte. Feb. 1.- Pacon 111 a 00 Flour, \$3 00 a \$4 00; Corn, 90 a 95 Oats, 80 a 85; Wheat, \$0 00 a \$0 00; Brandy, 00 a 00 LIST OF LETTERS.

REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT SALEM, N. C., February 1st, 1875. LADIES LIST. Mrs. Lidia Boger, Margit Crouch, Miss Nancy Conrad, Mrs. Jane Fultz, Mrs. H. S. Livengood, Mrs. Vira Mining, Miss Bettie Mitchell, Miss C. K. Null, Miss Hattie E. Patters n, Miss Hattie Patter-son, Miss Maggie Reynolds, Miss M. B. Smith, Miss Emma C. Smith, Lucinda Thomas or Isaah

GENTLEMEN'S LIST. W. C. Brown, John Brandon, J. M. Brower, James H. Coley, 2, James Coley, S. K. Chamber-lain, E. B. Chesterman, James Conrad, Allen Craearn, E. B. Chesterman, James Conrad, Aberl Caver, C. A. Fitgerald, Alfred C. Foust, Christian Hartman, James M. Jarvis James Jarvis, Thomas Lashmit, Andrew Longworth, J. H. Miller, Thomas Myers, W. H. Miller, George Mitchell, Dr. Thos. M. Osborne, Sam'l. H. J. Phillips, Jacob Reid, Thomas Reston, J. N. Slauter, Daniel Smith, H. W. Warter, Carrey Williams W. Warner, George Williard.
H. W. SHORE, I M.

A CARD.

The Supreme Court, having by their judgment,

I notify my friends and the public, that I have resumed the practice of the law, in the Counties of Stokes, Davic, Davidson and Forsyth. Prompt attention will be given to legal business

THOS. J. WILSON. Winston, N. C., Feb. 1st, 1875.

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AT THE BOOK STORE. A FRESH SUPPLY MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS ZEVELY'S DRUG STORE,

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Post Office Directory.

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day, Thursday and Saturday, by 12.30, p. m.
Madison mail, via Sedge Garden, Germanton and
Walnut Cove, due, Monday, Wednesday and Friday; by 3. Jp. m.; Closes, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdav. at 8 a. m. Jerusalem mail, via Friedberg. Miller's Mill, Elba

ville and Fulton: closes every Friday at 7, a.m. due, every Saturday, by 7, p. m. Jonesville mail, via Mt. Tabor, Vienna, Red Plains and East Bend : due every Friday, by 7, p. m.; clos-

es every Saturday, at 6, a. m.

Walkertown mail, via Salem Chapel. White Road,
Belew's Creek Mills and Blakely: closes every Friday, at 4, p. m.; due, every Saturday, by 7, p. m.
Panther Creek mail, via Lewisville: closes every Saturday, at 7, a. m.; due, by 8, p. m. H. W. SHORE, P. M.

New Advertisements.

Safety Lamps, Molasses, Syrup, Buckwheat Flour, Coffee, Crackers, Hominy, &c., at Crosland's, in Salem and Winston.

A card of Thomas J. Wilson, announcing that he has resumed the practice of the law. Baltimore Female College; Teas, Robert Wells, N. Y.; Calcined Magnesia, Hu-band, Philadelphia; Fars; Burkhard & Co., Cincinnati; Advertising, cheap, Geo. P. Rowell & Co., New York; \$75 a week, Buckeye Man. Co., Marion Ohio; \$200 a month, Excelsior Man. Co., Buchanan, Mich; \$7 to \$10. Brier & Co., Y., P. O. Box 1287, Atlanta Ga., \$5 to \$20, Stinson & Co., Portland Me.; \$77'a week, Vicery & Co., Augusta,

MILL ROBBERT.—We learn that Charles
Shaver, colored, has been examined and committed to jail to await his trial at next court, CASION OF THEIR FIFTH AND LAST CONon the charge of robbing Brushy Fork Mill of CERT. a sack of meal.

WELL DONE .- Mr. A. S. Jones, of Yadkir county, who has removed to this place, informs as that from the increase of one sow, within two years, he realized 2,575 pounds of pork sold pigs to the amount of \$42.50; has \$50.50 worth of hogs on hand, besides 9 shoats, the product of this one hog amounting to \$350.50, independent of the 9 shoats, which are worth at least \$30 more; total \$380.50.

MEETING OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. -John H. White, Register, has kindly furnished us with the following:

The County Commissioners met on Monday and passed the following Resolutions:

Whereas, the Board of Commissioners have Halves, heard with deep regret, of the death of Philip Kerner, one of their number, since the last meeting of the board, it is therefore Resolved, That in his death the community has lost one of its most valuable members, and the county, a faithful and efficient officer.

Resolved, That the Board of Commissioners tender to the family of the deceased their warmest sympathies in the hour of their sad bereave-

Resolved, that the clerk of this Board spread upon the Minutes of proceedings of this board. a copy of these resolutions, and that he request | ry the publication of the same in the several news

A. E. Conrad, Chairman. A. Nicholson, Committee. S. B. Stauber,

Fountain Flynt was appointed County Commissioner to fill the vacancy occasioned by the further postponement or delay on any account death of Philip Kerner.

School Examiners.—A. I. Butner, M. H. Linville, and J. J. Kerner, Jr., were appointed Board of Examiners.

Wm. M. Robbins for public documents.

We are under renewed obligations to Hon.

Rev. S. Simpson has been re-elected to the presidency of Yadkin College.

Godey for February is on our table. All who wish to keep up with the fashionable world, should have Godey. This popular magazine also contains excellent reading matter.

WE LEARN that Dr. Wheeler is sick with a severe cold, at home.

The closing Exhibition at Mount Vernon School House, in Lewisville Township, will take place on Saturday the 13th instant. P. T. Lehman, Teacher.

The session of the Public School at Blackburn's School-House will close on Monday Feb. 8th. W. T. Warner, Teacher.

Brown's Tobacco Warehouse disbursed over \$50,000 during the month of January.

See interesting political articles on first page.

MARDI GRAS.-This well known Mystic Society will parade in Memphis, Tenn., on the 9th inst. For several years Mardi Gras has been celebrated in the former city with a pomp and display rivaling New Orleans. The festlyities will be dispensed with in the Crescent tivities will be dispensed with in the Crescent city on account of the absence of his Royal \$200 a month to agents everywhere. Address city on account of the absence of his Royal Highness King Prosperity. As the most am-

and splendor. For the convenience of those who wish to attend the Piedmont Air Line will sell, commenc-FARE. Good to return before the 18th of

February. Parties desiring Sleeping Car accommodations should notify the undersigned at once.

ger Agent. Greensboro N. C.

FEBRUARY, noted for its brevity, was ushered in on Monday last, clear and frosty, after a rather leaky and disagreeable January. It derives its name from Februo to purify, hence Februarius, the appellation assigned by the Romans to the expiatory sacrifices they were ac-

customed to offer at this season. was formerly observed in England by baking pancakes, which energy observed in England by baking paneakes, which custom originated in offering them as sacrifices to the sun, whose growing height would soon warm up the cold earth.

Dough-nuts and pancakes are yet baked in many families, principally in those of German origins, with whom, Shrove Tuesday is called Land for Sale and Rent. Fas-Nacht; (Fasting-Night.) Hence the preparation of light cakes for the table. Among I improved, and others without improvements, and the Catholies it is the last and most festive day

Mardi Gras, a similar custom, under the auspices of the mystic society of that name, will be observed in Memphis and not in New Orleans this year, Also in Charlotte, in this State, preparations are being made for a celebration of this festival.

Ashe Wednesday is the first day of Lenet, now ralled Lent, litterally menning Spring.

As the month advances, other memorable days will be noticed. In the mean time don't forget to supply yourselves with Valentines at the Bookstore.

WE are indebted to Dr. Wheeler, our representative in the State Legislature, for a copy of a pamphlet entitled "North Carolina, its Resources and Progress," compiled by the Board of Immigration, Statestics, and Agriculture, under Legislative authority. It is well arranged and should encourage immigration to our healthy and beautiful and fertile State. There is no spot under the sun better adapted to form a permauent home, than in this section of our good old State. Circulate the pamphlet extensively and judiciously.

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THOS. SETTLE, Judge Supreme Court.

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We have the largest stock of General Merchandise in either town. TO THE FARMERS OF THIS AND ADJOINING COUNTIES. We wish to inform you that by the last of February we will have in our Warehouses a large stock of Peruvian Guano and Standard Fertilizers. Our extensive acquaintance with manufacturers and minipulators and familiarity with nearly all brands of fertilizers, together with several years practical experience in the sale and use of them, and by strict attention and close observation we are enabled to select such brands as will be remunerative to the farmer. There are but few who know a fertilizer by its analysis. You have to judge of its real value by the character of the manufacturer and agents who make and sell it, and more particularly by the results of it when applied on a crop. We offer this year the same brands as heretofore and guarantee the standard to be as high or higher than ever. These are old and reliable brands that have stood the test for years and increased in popularity each season and it is with pleasure that we refer you to all who have used them on tobacco and other crops. We buy in large

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GOOD BUYING Can give them, has enabled him to offer to the Public a

SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF GOODS. A NEW LINE OF ARTICLES RARE, RICH AND TASTY, consisting of

Very beautiful and suited for Presents.

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IS NOW OFFERING A SPLENDID LINE OF New & Seasonable DRESS GOODS.

BOYBAZINE and PURE BLACK MOHAIRS, finest quality offered in this market.

Opera Cloths, Repellents and Sackings. Also large lot of Ladies' Misses' and Chil-

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Salem, N. C., Sept. 17th, 1874.

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quantities for cash at lowest prices and secure lowest rates of freight and sell for a very small per cent., not half what we can get by selling some brands offered in market. Our stock will be-

No. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO, direct from Peruvian Agents.
"WHANN'S RAW BONE SUPER PHOSPHATE," "PACIFIC GUANO,"
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We invite all to come and examine our stock and prices.

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TO PROCURE FOR HIS CUSTOMERS ALL THE ADVANTAGES

China, Glass, Lava and Parian Ware, FANCY GOODS, FANCY BOXES, AND LADIES'WORK BOXES, &c. New Styles of Goods received every few days.

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many of which are of very superior quality. Particular attention is called to an extra article of BLACK

Also all wool POPLINS, or Empress Cloths in variety of colors, A fine line of CASHMERE, SERGES, DeBEGE, REPS and ALPACAS in new colors.

dren's Shoes, new styles.

Salom, N. C. Nov 4, 1874

ple preparations have been made and this year's preparations will surpass all others in elegance \$5 \(^2\) \$20 per day at home. Terms free,—Address Geo. Stinson & Co., Part land Maine. tend the Picdmont Air Line will sell, commencing to-day from its principal through ticket stations, ROUND TRIP TICKETS FOR ONE FARE. Good to return before the 18th of SAFETY LAMPS. S. E. Allen, Gen. Ticket and Passen-

Linmorous.

Two boys were standing before a cigar store, when one asked the other:

"Have you got three cents?"

"Yes." "Well, I have got two cents; give me your three cents and I will buy a five center." "All right," says No. 2, handing out his

No. 1 enters the store, procures the cigar, lights it and puffs with a good deal of satisfac-

"Come, now, give us a pull," says No. 2. "I furnished more than half the money; "But then I'm the president, and you, being only a stockholder, you can spit."

A young fellow, whose better half had just presented him with a bouncing pair of twins, attended church on Sunday. During the discourse the clergyman looked directly at our innocent friend, and said, in a tone of thrilling eloquence,-"Young man you have an important responsibility thrust upon you." The newly fledged dad, supposing the preacher al-

A man was seen coming out of a Texas newspaper office with one eye gouged out, and his nose spread all over his face like a piece of raw beef, and one of his ears chawed off. To a policeman who interviewed him, he replied: "I didn't like an article that 'peared in the paper last week; an' I went in ter see the man who writ it. He war thar, stanger."

have two of 'em."

Judge Mackey paid this glowing tribute to the State "melish" in his argument before th board in behalf of their officers elect:

"Now rings the country round with loud alarms.

And swarms in the rude militia raw in arms; Mouths without hands, maintained at vast expense;

In peace a charge, in war a weak defense; Stout once a month, they march a blustering band.

And ever-but in time of need-at hand." [Dryden.

NEAT AND SENTIMENTAL .- A gentleman who thinks it high time that the little "Johnny" poetry should give place to something neater and more fully charged with sentiment, sends Harper's Monthly the following as largely combining both:

Oh, bury Bartholomew out in the woods, In a beautiful hole in the ground,

Where bumble-bees buzz and the woodpeckers sing And the straddle-bugs tumble around; So that in winter, when the snow and the slush Have covered his little hed

His brother Ariemus can go out with Jane And visit the place with his sled.

Girls should be warned of the danger they thusiastic member of that fraternity, on being awakened the other night from a dream of an ting up in bed, holding his wife by the ears, having nearly twisted her head off in his fran tic efforts to "down brakes."

Two dutchmen lived very close together, and they had been fast friends, but they fell out, and hated each other like poison. One of them got sick, and sent for his neighbor, and said: "Hans, I am going to die; will you forgive me?" "If you die I will," "but if you get well the old debt will stand good."

A.man, praising porter, said it was so excellent a beverage that, though taken in large quantities, it always made him fat. "I have seen the time," said another, "when it made you lean." "When ? I should be glad to know," said the eulogist. "Why, no longer than last night-against a wall."

A Missourian who attended prayer-meeting with his daughter felt compelled to rise up and remark: "I want ter be good an' go ter Heaven, but if them fellers don't stop winkin' at Mary Jane there'll be a good deal of prancin' around here the fust thing they know!" We have a large stock of PRINTS of all sorts and prices, Brown and Bleached SHEET-INGS, FLANNELS of all kinds, grades and colors, White and Black ALPACAS, MOHAIRS,

To dun, to press for money due, comes from Joe Dunn, a famous bailiff of Lincoln, in Eng- LINSEYS, a large lot of SHAWLS, of all sizes, colors and prices, &c., &c. Also land, during the reign of Henry VII. He was so generally successful in collecting money that when a man refused to pay, the creditor was asked why he didn't Dunn him.

Conversation at breakfast table-Smith: "Ain't John late in bringing the mail this morning?" Jones: "I guess there is something on the postal cards that he don't understand. He's probably reading them over twice."

An ambitious young lady was talking very loudly about her favorite authors, when a literary chap asked her if she liked Lamb. With a look of ineffable disgust, she answered that she cared little about what she ate, compared with

An advocate of corporal punishment for children said: "The child when once started in a course of evil conduct is like a locomotive on the wrong track-it takes a switch to get it off.

A gentleman, on presenting a lace collar to his adored one, said, carefully: "Do not let any one else rumple it,' "No dear," she replied, "I'll take it off."

One reason why Wisconsin hired girls get four dollars per week, is because they have to go down stairs at midnight to investigate strange noises, while the man of the house takes up a position under the bed.

When they tried to force Miss Gray, of Independence, Missouri, into a marriage against her will, she kicked the minister's hat off, knocked the young man down, and rode off on a mule, with one foot on each side of him.

"Look 'ere now, Salusha," yelled a Clay county Missouri, woman to the oldest girl, have to carry water."

When a Chicago man can't lie on his back and go to sleep without dreaming of his mother.in-law, it is considered a sufficient ground

"Oh! ma." There's an angel with wings." "Pshaw! that's only a Louisville girl with her

It has been noticed that nothing makes a woman laugh so much as a new set of teeth.

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THAT A MAN CAN

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In this way we are enabled to get the benefit of the lowest prices in our purchases, and as we get our pay in hand—ready money or produce—we are content to work for short profits. This prevents, too, any distinction being made between customers—the money of the poor man being just as good a the money of the rich man.

We have never had so fine and full a stock of goods as we are now offering for sale—

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sansactory terms.

I would call special attention to the new and very early varieties of PEACHES—The Beatrice, Louise and Rivers—all ripening ahead of Hale. These have now been thoroughly tested in this country, and have obtained the commendation of all who have seen them.

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DRY GOODS of all kinds, Woolen & Cotton,

Including a full line of FRIES' GOODS. A large assortment of NOTIONS,

SHAWLS of all patterns and prices, LADIES' DRESS GOODS in elegant styles,

Unsurpassed by any house in this section of the State in quality, beauty of texture, and cheapness in price.

This is only a general summary of our stock." Many desirable articles are not mentioned for want of space. Prices of most goods are reduced, and we intend to keep as low as the lowest. We do not expect to make a fortune at selling goods, but we hope for a decent living, by building up an establishment where, at all times, "The best goods can be bought for the least money."

We invite a visit from all persons wishing to invest their surplus cash to the best advantage.

Patterson & Co.

Salem, N. C., Nov, 4th, 1874.

ECONOMY IS WEALTH.

run in marrying railroad brakesmen. An en- And the way to preserve and mantain that cconomy is to know WHEN AND WHERE

impending crash by a train, found himself sit- to make judicious outlays in the selection and purchase of Goods. WE PROPOSE TO GIVE THE FOLLOWING ADVICE GRATUITOUS, OR FREE GRATIS AND FOR NOTHING.

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MEN'S AND BOY'S WEAR OF ALL KINDS. Hats and Caps in Great Variety.

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holding the same, and therefore we have to proclaim that in

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CARPENTERS can with us find the best and cheapest assortment of all kinds of tools "don't bend over that well so fur. You'll fall in there some of these days, and then we'll brivers, Plane, Saw and Auger Handles, &c., &c., and

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We likewise deem this an appropriate time and place to express our gratitude to our many friends and customers who have favored us with their patronage. They have evinced their THE undersigned is prepared to make NEW went away satisfied and well pleased and will come again and often, and we promise our best endeavors to please them and deserve their patronage. They have evinced their sound judgment and discretion in coming to us for good bargains, and we hope they always went away satisfied and well pleased and will come again and often, and we promise our best endeavors to please them and deserve their patronage.

Respectfully,

R. A. WOMMACK & CO. Salem, N. C., November 3, 1874.

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Prices of Beatrice, Louise and Rivers \$4 per dozand \$20 per 100. Other varieties, as per Catalogue.

I would also direct attention to the Newman Seed-ING STRAWBERRY of Southern origin, well known and very highly esteemed for a number of years,— but until recently, closely held in private hands.—

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Prices of Plants.—50 cents per doz; \$3 50 per 100; \$20 per 1000.
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We cannot enumerate all that we have, but beg that you will all come and examine our steck whether with a view to purchasi ALL WORK WARRANTED.

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